



DIED OF A BROKEN HEART.

The Remarkable Case of Mrs. Mary Agnes Wolf of New York.

A remarkable instance where death followed a "broken heart" was recorded at the coroner's office Thursday. Mrs. Mary Agnes Wolf, 32 years old, died at her home on Wednesday evening. Dr. J. A. Sanders, who had last attended her, wrote a certificate that death was due to inanition and heart trouble and excessive grief. The board of health rejected the certificate, and it came to the coroner's office.

At the home of the dead woman it was said that she lived with her husband, George Wolf, an employee of the Metropolitan Traction company. Mary Melvin, the aged mother of the dead woman, had shared their humble apartments since the time of their marriage, five years ago. The mother and daughter had been constant companions all their lives. Melvin, who was an Englishman, died when Mrs. Wolf was an infant.

Last October Mrs. Melvin was stricken with a slow but fatal disease. Day and night the daughter waited upon her till her death, in June last.

For a few days Mrs. Wolf wept incessantly. Then a strange melancholy came over her. She ceased speaking of her dead parent, yet there was evidence of terrible inward grief. Her pining soon began to tell upon her health. Her husband talked with her about the folly of keeping the memory of her dead mother in mind, but she would not be consoled. She stopped going out and gradually ceased to partake of food. After a time she became so weak that she was obliged to take to her bed.

The husband returned nightly from his labor and sat by her bedside, imploring her to cheer up and live for his sake. Although she was sound of mind, she refused to pay any attention to her husband's importunities. Dr. Sanders found the woman suffering from no organic troubles and said that she would recover if properly nourished. He recommended that she be removed to a hospital where she could better regain her strength. His suggestion was not heeded, because Mrs. Wolf declared she wished to die in the bed in which her mother had died. The doctor told her that he could do nothing more for her unless she took sustenance. She did not answer him, but shook her head. On Wednesday she died.

Mrs. Wolf will be buried in Calvary cemetery today. Dr. Cuff of the coroner's office said Mrs. Wolf's death was due to a broken heart. He said this was an instance where the woman's failure to pour out her grief in tears had brought on the disorders that caused her death.

New York Tribune.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did, to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

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Under the direction of the boundary survey commissioners the old marble monument which since 1849 has marked the dividing line between the United States and Mexico at the coast has been brought to the city to be dressed up. For years that monument has been a point of interest and has been visited by thousands of citizens and strangers. Each has apparently felt that no one would believe he or she had been there if some portion of the slab were not carried away to be offered in evidence on all occasions.

The result has been that the marble has been chipped and defaced until its original form is almost lost. It is because of all this that the slab was brought to the city. To work out the effacements the surface would have to be worked down two inches. When dressed, the stone will again be placed in position, but this time it will be protected by a fence of steel pickets. The inclosure will be 12 feet square. The pickets will be 8 feet high, the tops sharply pointed and leaning inward, after the device of some rattraps, so that while it might be possible for an active person to climb in it would require a first class acrobat to climb out over those curving pickets. Besides this a new law makes it a penal offense to mutilate the monuments.

At Tia Juana a similar slab will be erected on the old brick foundation in National avenue, which has long been a landmark there. The Tia Juana monument will be of granite instead of marble, and it will be inclosed with steel pickets, like the one at the coast line.—San Diego Sun.

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MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson: I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

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It would be hard indeed if we could not get a laugh out of all these horrid scandals that scar society's face, and it has come at last—bread, hearty and irreproachable.

The good people of Newport—not the old Newporters, but the people who have followed in their train—are so incensed by the reports published about the misdoings of the Four Hundred that they have organized a Society For the Suppression of New-paper Notoriety.

Dear, comical, old Elbridge T. Gerry is at the head of the new society, and it looks as if he would have time to attend to nothing else.

The purpose of the society is to prevent the publication in New York and Boston (other cities don't count) of matters that are purely personal to the Four Hundred and of no public interest.

If Mrs. Stevens' maid takes advantage of Mr. Tom Cushing's valer, that is legitimate news, and no objection will be made to its publication, but if Mrs. Stevens herself should cast sheep's eyes at Mr. Cu-hing, or if Mr. A. should compromise Mr. B.'s wife, or Mr. C. sue his wife for divorce, or Mrs. D. go wrong with a dude—these are matters that concern nobody but the culprits themselves and their most intimate friends.

No wonder the laugh is loud and long at these good people's expense.

Did it never occur to dear old Gerry and his younger friends on the social toboggan slide that a "Society For the Suppression of Vice In the Four Hundred" would cut at the very root of the evil of which they complain, whereas the step they are taking now can only trim off some of the topmost boughs?

There is without doubt a certain amount of reckless newspaper writing going on which every one abominates—and every one reads.

This writing keeps pace with the doings of the day. It is often inaccurate, vulgar and malicious; but, on the other hand, there is so much social evil doing that never finds its way into print at all that the score is pretty even up to date.

I could mention the names of hundreds of prominent New York and Boston families who have never had cause to complain of a single line or word printed to their derogation.

And why? Simply because they have never given the opportunity.

While not making a play for the society reporter or the scandal loving editor I am sufficiently familiar with their methods to know that they would just as lief print good news of prominent people as bad news.

Bad news sells better than good news, of course. In times of war, tempest, famine, fire and flood the demand for newspapers doubles and trebles.

So it does in times of great social disaster.

The collapse of Duncan, Sherman & Co., the failure of Grant & Ward, the elopement of Herbert Pell and Mrs. Kate Kerouach, the divorce of Mr. and Mrs. Fernando Yznaga and the subsequent marriage of both, the Drayton scandal, the Vanderbilt imbroglio, the Gould fiasco—all these stirring incidents in social life, and thousands of others for which I haven't space, constitute the gossip of the day which is on every one's lips, and which can no more be kept out of the newspapers than a duck can be kept out of water or Ward McAllister out of print.

That is why I advise kind old Gerry and his pretty playmates to begin to trim ship before they yell that they are overpowered by water.

I cannot predict any success for the new society with the object of suppressing bad news about fashionable people.

Murder will out—so will adultery, drunkenness, cheating at cards, dishonesty, indebtedness and all the other vices to which flesh is heir.

As I said before, a society that condemns publicity has only to ponder for a moment upon all it does that is not printed and be grateful on its marrow bones that such matters are still personal and have not yet become of public interest.—Cholly Knickerbocker in New York Recorder.

AN INTERESTING SLAB.

It Marks the Boundary Between Mexico and the United States.

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DAILY ARGUS.

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 25, 1894.

The Republican nomination for Congress in the Ulster-Dutchess-Putnam district, is conceded to the present Representative, Hon. Jacob LeFever.

The Republican County Convention is to be held at Goshen, Tuesday, Oct. 9. The Republican Congressional Convention will probably be held in Middletown the following day. None of the Democratic conventions have as yet been called.

The Department of Agriculture distributed, last year, through members of Congress, 7,704,913 packages of seeds, at a cost of \$160,000. The seeds yielded a goodly crop of votes to Congressmen who planted them wisely in their districts, but as an aid to agriculture, the distribution of the seeds was worse than useless.

James Keegan, of Rockland county, is proxy for State Committeeeman Barnum, of this district, at the Saratoga convention. The Rockland county contest was referred to him to report which delegation was entitled to have its names on the preliminary roll and participate in the temporary organization of the convention.

A court martial has found Capt. Henry W. P. Turner, the colored chaplain of the Ninth Cavalry, a colored regiment, guilty of drunkenness while on duty and sentenced him to dismissal from the service. The accused chaplain made the very astonishing defense that it was necessary to drink with the men in order to get their confidence, and that he made on a few occasions the mistake of "taking a drop too much."

MASONIC CONVENTION.

Exemplifying the secret work to representatives of the Lodges of the Tenth Masonic District.

A number of representatives from the several lodges which comprise the Tenth Masonic District, met in convention in the spacious rooms of Hoffman Lodge, last evening. The object of the convention is the exemplification of the work by the Grand Lecturer, R. W. George H. Raymond, of New York, and the Assistant Grand Lecturer, P. M., R. W. Oldfield, of Stony Point Lodge, No. 313, of Haverstraw.

The former gentleman occupied the East and the latter officiated as Senior Deacon.

Ex-District Deputy Grand Master John B. Alliger, of Ithaca Lodge, 343, was the Senior Warden, and W. M. G. Mulleix, of Goshen Lodge, the Junior Warden.

Dr. F. M. Cummins, of Warwick Lodge, acted in the capacity of Junior Deacon; S. S. Gowday, Esq., formerly of this city, was Senior Master of Ceremonies; C. B. N. Hull, of Livingston Manor Lodge, No. 701, was Secretary, and R. Patterson, of Standard Lodge, No. 711, of Monroe, was Treasurer.

The work of the First or Entered Apprentice degree was exemplified, last evening, in a most satisfactory manner.

This morning at 10 o'clock, the Second or Fellowcraft degree was taken up, and, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, the Third or Master Mason degree was exemplified.

The Grand Lecturer, Mr. Raymond, is well known in this city, having been a visitor to Hoffman Lodge for the past thirty years. Mr. Raymond, although in his seventy-first year, is a well preserved man, and the retentive powers of his memory are apparently not impaired by age. He has been prominent in Masonic circles for forty-three years, and has occupied the position of Grand Lecturer of the State of New York for the greater part of that time.

The Assistant Lecturer, Mr. R. W. Oldfield, is a Past Master of Stony Point Lodge. His work as Senior Deacon was perfect.

Among the prominent Masons present are:

Chas. F. Starck, Callicoon; Henry Kienrich, Callicoon; R. Potter, Monroe; D. H. Sprague, Monroe; A. W. Slack, Goshen; A. Voorhees, Livingston Manor; R. J. Broome, Monticello; J. G. Dunbar, Warwick; Geo. R. Wood, Warwick; F. J. Harden, Westtown; W. G. Hastings, Newburgh; Frank E. Woodin, Newburgh; P. A. Canfield, Rosedale.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

Gaynor's Declination Regarded as Final—Much Talk of Whitney—Senator Hill Non-Committal—The Convention's Preliminary Session—Temporary Chairman Hill's Address.

BY UNITED PRESS.

SARATOGA, Sept. 25.—The Democrats' convention day opened cloudy, but the sun soon drove the clouds away.

Early this morning, beribboned workers of many organizations were astir. Crowds filled the streets and the big hotels and incoming trains added to the crowds.

Democratic leaders from all over the State, conferred with Senator Hill until long past midnight.

Judge Gaynor's refusal is accepted by most as final. Talk of Whitney is revived. It is pretty well understood that Hill does not want Whitney nominated, but if it were certain here that Whitney would accept there is little doubt that there would be a stampede in his direction.

Hill has freely discussed the merits of the different men whose names are mentioned, but so far has not indicated a preference for anyone.

The convention was called to order at 1:12 p. m. Senator Hill was chosen temporary chairman. He made a long address in which he ridiculed the professed confidence of the Republicans as empty brag and bluster and affirmed that with a united Democracy New York is a Democratic State. He denounced the Sherman silver purchase law as a panic-making device, and the McKinley act as the culmination of reckless and pernicious Republican legislation. He said that while the new tariff act was not in all respects satisfactory to him, it was a great improvement on McKinley's act, and if it was alleged that it favored one trust it was answer enough that the McKinley act which it repealed favored a dozen trusts. The address was heartily cheered.

After the appointment of the usual committees the convention at 2:35 adjourned until to-morrow.

CHOLERA PATIENTS ROASTED ALIVE
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WARSAW, Sept. 25.—Six houses in the city of Polaszki, where cholera is making fearful ravages, were burned, last night. A number of inmates suffering from the dread disease, who were too weak to escape, were burned to death.

ERIE CAR WORKS BURNED.
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ERIE, Sept. 25.—The plant of the Erie car works was almost wholly burned, last night. Loss \$300,000.

W. C. T. U. Day of Prayer.

By order of our State President, Mary T. Burr, of New York city, Wednesday, Sept. 29th will be observed as a day of prayer and thanksgiving for the mercies vouchsafed our organization the past year, and prayer for divine guidance and blessing upon the coming State Convention at Jamestown. Special prayer will be offered for those bereaved by death.

Services will be held in the rooms, 134 North street, at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Evangelistic Superintendents, Miss A. Brundage and Mrs. Hannah Wood. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

F. E. BURR, Sec.

A Boston Confession.

Sometimes it seems as if the New York and Chicago jibes at Boston and their notion of the sort of conversation common here are not so baseless as they usually seem. It is undoubtedly true that one young gal who told another the other day that she had read Emerson until she was tired of him and longed for something new and refreshing was recommended by her friend to try Epictetus, because of his nice short sentences and Kant's "Critique of Pure Reason," because it sounds so much like Mrs. Blinck's "science" lectures.—Boston Transcript.

Purcell, the most extraordinary musical genius that England ever produced, died at the age of 37 from a cold contracted by being locked out of the house by his turbulent wife. He was popularly said to be the handsomest man in London.

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Sugar	95 1/4	94 1/2	93 3/4	93 3/4
A. T. & S. F.	7	6 1/2	7	7
O. B. & Q.	74	72 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Chicago Gas	70 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
D. L. & W.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
I. & O. & C. F.	11	9 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Edie	15 1/2	13 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
General Electric	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
L. & N.	58 1/2	56 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
L. S.	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2	135 1/2
M.	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
N. Y. & N. E.	120 1/2	119 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
N. W.	163 1/2	162 1/2	163 1/2	163 1/2
N. P. Pd.	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Manhattan	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
R. T.	29	28 1/2	29	29
R. & L.	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
U. P.	89 1/2	88	88 1/2	88 1/2
U. S. Cordage	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Dec. Wheat	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Dec. Corn	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
May Oats	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Jan. Pork	\$13 50	\$13 00	\$13 00	\$13 00
Jan. Lard	7 75	7 60	7 60	7 60

DIED.

CRANSTON.—In this city, Sept. 21st, '94, Elting D., infant child of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Cranston, aged five months.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon, at three o'clock, at parents' residence, No. 197 East Main street. Burial in Elliston Cemetery.

SHEERIN.—In this city, Sept. 22d, '94, Bridget, beloved wife of Richard Sheerin, aged thirty-eight years.

Funeral Wednesday, Sept. 23d, at ten a. m. from her late residence, 22 Cottage street, with solemn high mass of requiem at St. Joseph's Church Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery.

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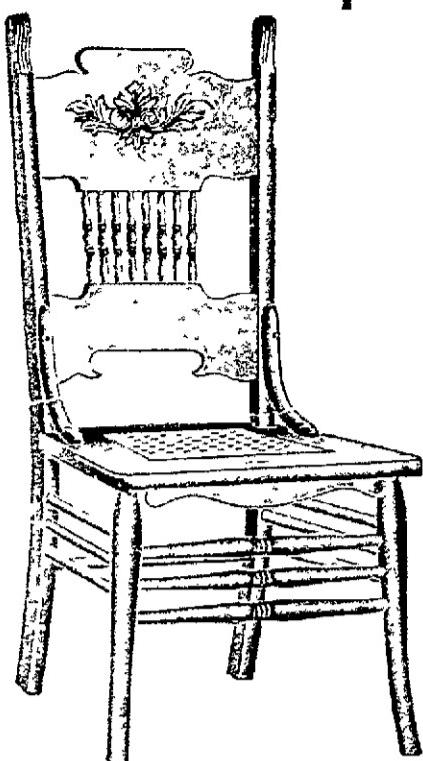
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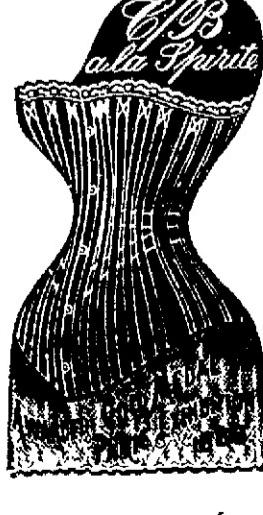
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WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Fair, slightly cooler, Wednesday, with frost in the interior; northwesterly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:

7 a.m., 51°; 12 m., 63°; 3 p.m., 65°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Sept. 26—Tenth Legion re-union, at Middletown.

—Oct. 1—"Charley's Aunt," at Casino.

—Oct. 4—Parade of Middletown Fire Department.

—Oct. 10—Middletown Wheelmen's meet, at Campbell track.

—Oct. 21—Ball of Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, at Assembly Rooms.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—See notice of extension of Middletown-Goshen Traction Co.

—"Charley's Aunt," at Casino, Oct. 1st.

—Registration days Sept. 29th, Oct. 6th, 13th, 20th, Nov. 3d. See ad.

—Starting bargains in clothing at Budwig & Co.

—Two pictures—which do you prefer? See ad of Morris E. Wolf.

—New prepared buckwheat flour for sale by Bull & Longblood.

—Farm of 51 acres for sale at \$27 per acre.

—Grapes for sale by J. C. Mullison.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Mary Powell excursion, to morrow. Fare, one dollar, round trip.

—B. Basilou will open, Saturday, a candy store at 17 West Main street.

—The Fifth and Tenth separate companies, of Newburgh, were inspected, last night.

—Owing to inability to secure steel bolts the Kilmer wire works in Newburgh have shut down for a week.

—Groveville Park, the terminus of the Fishkill-Matteawan electric road, has been closed for the season.

—Orange Encampment, I. O. O. F., conferred the third degree on one candidate, last evening.

—The Waalkills will have a dance at the truck house on Thursday evening, Oct. 4th.

—Foxes are said to be unusually numerous, this fall, in the central portion of the State.

—Miss Nellie Shafer's varsovennie, The 24th Separate Company, is now on sale at Hanford & Horton's.

—A bicycle club has just been organized in Delhi, with Walter C. Edgeron as President.

—The next attraction at the Casino will be "Charley's Aunt," Monday, Oct. 1st.

—A movement is on foot among the barbers to close their shops at 8 o'clock every evening, except Wednesdays and Saturdays.

—One drunk was reprimanded and discharged by Justice Powelson, who officiated as Recorder in the absence of Recorder Bradner.

—The game of ball played on the State Hospital grounds, yesterday, between the Columbias and Electrics was won by the latter by a score of 21 to 18.

—J. E. Edwards, who for some time has conducted a bakery on West Main street, has removed to Goshen, where he has purchased the bakery business of Mr. Clark.

—A Callicoon dispatch says a New York syndicate has purchased the Relley mill property, and will erect a large factory that will give employment to 200 hands.

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—Dr. C. Wood Tatham, of Philadelphia, a former resident of this city, is in town on a short visit to friends. After leaving here he will go to St. Augustine, Fla., where he will spend two months, after which he and his family will spend two years abroad, most of the time in Paris. Dr. Tatham is something of a newspaperman, having been society editor of the Philadelphia Call.

MONHAGENS AT SCRANTON.

A Safe and Pleasant Trip and a Hearty Welcome to the Electric City—Programme for Their Entertainment.

From a Special Correspondent.

SCRANTON, Sept. 24.—We arrived here promptly on time, at 4:20 this afternoon, after a most delightful trip through a country new to most of the members of the company, and which abounded in objects of interest. A more perfect day for such a journey could not have been imagined.

We fared well on our journey. Seeholzer's lunch was served at 12:30, and we did ample justice to it. Then cigars were passed. There were lots of them for all and some to spare, for the company had been remembered by Jacob Gunther, W. J. McIlvaine, and Assistant Chiefs Higham and Schmitt.

At Hancock Junction we were joined by Alderman Greene, D. J. Stowe, of Crystals, also met us at the Junction to give us a safe conduct into and through Pennsylvania. William Collins, of Hancock, also accompanied us.

The forty-third semi-annual session of the Homeopathic Medical Society of the State of New York began at the State Hospital in this city, today, and will be continued during to-day and to-morrow.

The meeting was held in the Amusement Hall of the hospital, the stage of which was banked with potted plants and presented a very beautiful and attractive appearance.

The meeting was called to order at 12 o'clock by Dr. Selden H. Talcott, who announced that he had received a telegram from the president of the association, Dr. G. M. Sly, who is detained abroad on account of the illness of his son at Geneva. The doctor introduced as chairman Dr. Elmer J. Bissell, of Rochester. The nomination was received with applause and Dr. Bissell, upon taking the chair, called upon Rev. Mr. Phelps to open the proceedings with a prayer.

Dr. Talcott then made an address of welcome, and gave a humorous resume of the advantages which the fine climate of Middletown affords the human family, particularly the insane, followed by an outline history of the origin and subsequent management of the State Hospital for the Insane in this city.

At the conclusion of Dr. Talcott's address the Chairman, Dr. Bissell, addressed the meeting and appointed the following committee on attendance: Drs. O. Spencer Kinney, E. Hasbrouck and Maurice C. Ashley.

The Chair also appointed the following gentlemen as Board of Censors: Drs. E. E. Snyder, of Binghamton; C. Spencer Kinney, of this city.

The Secretary, Dr. John L. Moffat, of Brooklyn, then read the minutes of the last meeting which was held at Albany, February 13th, 1891.

There being no objections the Board of Censors, through its Chairman, Dr. Snyder, of Binghamton, then read a number of applications for membership in the society and upon motion they were elected.

The Bureau of Health, consisting of Drs. J. W. Candee, H. W. Hoyt, and B. S. Keator, was then called for a report, and Dr. Candee read a paper on "The Garbage Question."

The subject dealt largely with the disposal of the garbage of New York and Brooklyn. The danger to public health arising from throwing the same into the sea, and from the burial of garbage, was fully exposed, and the question of establishing crematories for the disposal of refuse matter was freely discussed. The question of disinfection was touched upon, as was the possibility of reducing garbage and refuse into fertilizers by various methods of extraction.

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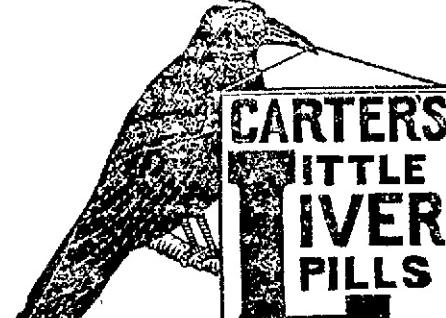
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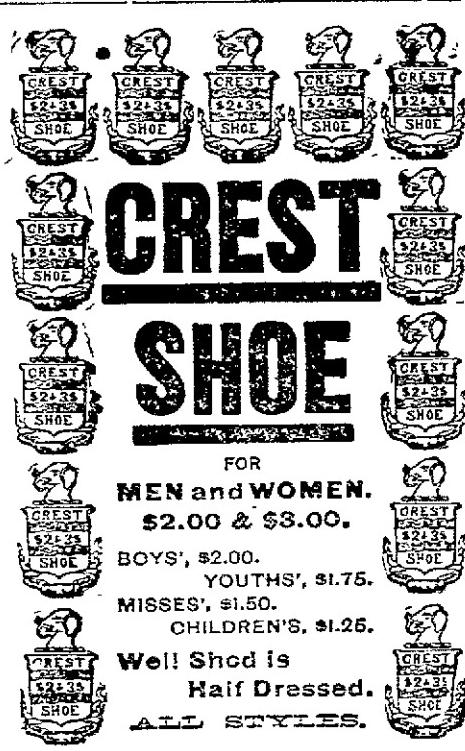


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Haymond was detained a week longer
than he had expected, and when he
started for the mountains again his
friends told him he would never get
through, but he persisted, and finally,
after a long battle with the snowdrifts,
he reached the last camp on his route,
having lost a week on the way.

It was almost night and snow and
wind were in vicious possession of the
mountains when he found himself rid-
ing down the trail a mile or two above
the camp where he was to pass the night,
having the Red dogs.

Haymond while he was still more
than a mile from the cabin. He pressed
on as fast as he could, when suddenly

his horse stopped short with a snort and
stood quivering. Haymond could see
nothing, and soothing the animal with
hand and voice urged him on. There
was still light sufficient to see around
clearly enough to distinguish objects
near the trail. Haymond thought as he
started again that he saw something
move across the trail a little way ahead.
The horse went slowly forward, but with
great reluctance, and when they
reached an open spot where the light
was sufficient to show objects for some
distance he again stopped trembling,
and Haymond for a moment could not
persuade him to start. At last the horse
started forward with a bound, and as
he did so Haymond saw Maggie Rodden
on the trail, her hair hanging
around her pale face, her hands stretched
pleadingly toward him and an expres-
sion of acute agony upon her white face.

Reining up as quickly as possible,
Haymond turned to speak to her, but
she had vanished. He rode back and
called her name, but there was no answer.
He dismounted and looked for
tracks at the spot where she must have
left the trail, but found none.

Puzzled and annoyed, he mounted
and rode as rapidly as possible to the
Rodden cabin.

Hurriedly dismounting, Haymond
called Rodden out and asked if he knew
that his wife was wandering alone
through the snow away up the mountain
trail. Rodden was too much unnerved
for a moment to reply. Then he managed
to say that the express rider
must have dreamed he saw her, as
she had gone home, gone back east,
more than a month before. Haymond
stuck to his story, but at last he was
obliged to conclude that his imagination
had played him a trick. He couldn't help wondering, though, what
had frightened the horse.

There was nothing to be done or said,
for if Mrs. Rodden had gone home a
month before certainly she could not
have been roaming around in the snow,
and as there was no other woman within
miles of the camp he must have been
mistaken. Rodden, though not at all
hospitable in manner, got supper and
allowed the express rider to stop for the
night.

After supper Haymond opened his
saddlebags, saying:

"Well, as Maggie is not here to take
her package, and as it was intended for
you, anyway, I suppose I'd better give
it to you, and you can write her that
her Christmas present got here a little
ahead of time."

He tossed the package across to the
man, who stared at it as if petrified.
He stretched out his hand slowly and
opened it with shaking fingers. The
package contained a pair of thick, warm
gloves, nothing more.

"When did Maggie send for these?"
he asked.

"The last time I was here. You came
near not getting them at all, for she
had no chance to tell me to buy them
while I was here and had to run after
me to give the order."

"Was that all she ran after you for?"

"That was all."

Rodden settled back into his chair,
with a groan, and hid his face in his hands.

Haymond sat silent for awhile, then,
finding that the man did not intend to
speak, he concluded that the best thing
he could do was to go to bed. He was
soon sleeping and knew nothing more
until the morning light shone through
the uncurtained window, awoke him.

He dressed hurriedly and went out
into the room where he had left his host.
It was silent and deserted. A glance
into the side room showed that the bed
was unoccupied, and Haymond went
out to look after his horse as well as to
see if he could see any signs of his host.
The horse had been stabled in a deserted
cabin, and Haymond pushed open the
door and then sprang back into the
open air. Swinging by a halter from the
rafter was Rodden's dead body.

Haymond cut the body down and laid
it carefully in the bunk. He could do
nothing for it, as the snow covered the
frozen earth, so that one man could not
hope to dig a grave. Hastily saddling
his horse, he drove away, after searching
the cabin in the faint hope that he
might find some note of explanation,
but in vain. Not a line of writing, new
or old, could be found.

Haymond stopped at the first settlement
and gave notice of the suicide at the
deserted camp, but the snow was
again falling, and no party could reach
the place for weeks

